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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This amendment is filed in response to the office action mailed May 12, 2003.

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the restriction requirement of record is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below. The claims are amended herein. This amendment is accompanied by the fee for a one-month extension for response, extending the response deadline to July 12, 2003.

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